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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OREP (BINNENDIJK/BECKINGTON)

SUBJ: SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE STAFFDEL VISIT TO
KOREA AUGUST 6 THROUGH AUGUST 14

REFS: (A) STATE 175206 (DTG 270131Z JUL 77)

(B) SEOUL 6407 (DTG 300401Z JUL 77)

1. FOLLOWING IS TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR STAFFDEL BINNENDIJK AND BECKINGTON. AUGUST 6 THROUGH 8 HAS BEEN SCHEDULED FOR FIELD VISITS AS REQUESTED. USFK HAS, HOWEVER, POINTED OUT THAT SECOND DIVISION HAS BEEN WORKING EVERY WEEK-END, SATURDAY AND SUNDAY FOR PAST THREE MONTHS. THEY WOULD, THEREFORE, LIKE TO GIVE THEM A DAY OFF ON SUNDAY AND PUSH SCHEDULE BACK ONE DAY IF POSSIBLE. THIS COULD BE ACCOMPLISHED WITHOUT SIGNIFICANT DIFFICULTY BY LEAVING SUNDAY FREE AND COM-PRESSING SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES AT END OF WEEK. (MONDAY AND SUNDAY SCHEDULES CANNOT BE REVERSED BECAUSE KOREAN NATIONALS WORKING AT MASAN WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE SUNDAY). EMBASSY WOULD LIKE TO ACCOMMODATE USFK REQUEST IF STAFFDEL AGREES. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST.

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2. SUGGESTED SCHEDULE FOLLOWS:

AUGUST 6 (SATURDAY)

1010 ARRIVE KIMPO VIA NW 21

1200 LUNCH

1400 VISIT OSAN AFB
EVENING FREE

AUGUST 7 (SUNDAY)

0800 VISIT I CORPS, DISCUSSIONS WITH LT. GEN. CUSHMAN
0930 TOUR DMZ AREA
1030 PROCEED TO SECOND DIVISION. DISCUSSIONS WITH MAJOR GEN.
BRADY AND VISIT TO SECOND DIVISION AREA.
1800 RETURN TO HOTEL
EVENING FREE

AUGUST 8 (MONDAY)

0830 DEPART FOR MASAN VIA KIMHAE
0950 VISIT AMMO STORAGE FACILITY AT MASAN
1100 LEAVE MASAN FOR CAMP CARROLL
1150 LUNCH, TOUR AND BRIEFING AT EQUIPMENT DEPOT
1415 DEPART FOR CHANGWON
1445 VISIT DEFENSE INDUSTRIES AT CHANGWON
RETURN TO SEOUL
EVENING FREE

AUGUST 9 (TUESDAY)

0830 DISCUSSION WITH CHARGE THOMAS STERN AND COUNTRY
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TEAM (JUSMAG, ET AL).
1030 CALL ON ACTING FOREIGN MINISTER YUN HA-CHONG
AND AMERICAN AFFAIRS BUREAU DIRECTOR PAK SANG-YONG
1200 LUNCH WITH UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS
1400 CALLS AT BLUE HOUSE (SPECIAL ASSISTANTS KIM
KYONG-WON AND KIM TONG-CHO).
1630 CALL ON NATIONAL ASSEMBLY SPEAKER CHONG IL-KWON
1730 CALL ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN
CHOE YONG-HUI
1900 DINNER OPEN

AUGUST 10 (WEDNESDAY)

0840 MEET WITH KOREAN NATIONAL COUNCIL OF
CHURCHES' EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, KIM KWAN-SUK
1000 MEET WITH KYUNGHYANG SINMUM MANAGING EDITOR,
SUK DONG-GU
1115 CALL ON ROK JCS DIRECTOR LT. GEN. LEW
BYUNG-HION
1200 LUNCH AT MND
1300 DISCUSSIONS WITH MAJOR GEN. SON CHANG-NAE,
(JOHNNY SOHN), DIRECTOR OF PLANNING

1500 CALL ON MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENSE
SUH JYONG-CHUL
1600 DISCUSSIONS WITH MND LOGISTICS ASSISTANT
MINISTER LT. GEN. PAK SOK-CHU
1700 DINNER HOSTED BY CHARGE WITH SELECTED
BLUE HOUSE AND MND OFFICIALS AND NATIONAL
ASSEMBLYMEN.

AUGUST 11 (THURSDAY)

0845 MEET WITH STEPHEN CARDINAL KIM
1000 DISCUSSIONS WITH ECONOMIC PLANNING BOARD (EPB)
PLANNING DIRECTOR KIM CHAE-IK
1130 CALL ON EPB DIRECTOR AND DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER
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NAM TOK-U
1215 LUNCH WITH BUSINESSMEN AT CHARGE'S RESIDENCE
1400 MEET WITH GENERAL VESSEY
1620 CALL ON SINA ILBO EDITOR-IN-CHIEF
LIM SANG-JUN
1900 DINNER AT KELLEY RESIDENCE - SCHOLARS,
NEWSMEN, POLITICIANS

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AUGUST 12 (FRIDAY)

0900 MEET WITH PROFESSOR YI HONG-KU OF SEOUL
NATIONAL UNIVERSITY
1030 DISCUSSIONS WITH INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
AND DEFENSE AFFAIRS SPECIALISTS AT
ASIATIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE (KORYO UNIVERSITY)
1200 LUNCH WITH NATIONAL ASSEMBLYMEN PAK CHUNG-KYU,
PAEK TU-CHIN AND CHUNG NAE-HYOK (DEFENSE
COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN)
1400 CALL ON KIM TOK-CHUNG, PRESIDENT OF DAE WU
CORP.
1530 CALL ON GOLD STAR CORP. PRESIDENT PAK SUNG-CHAN
1700 CALL ON HYUNDAE SHIPBUILDING CORP. PRESIDENT
CHONG IN-YONG
1800 MEETING WITH SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO AMBASSADOR
1900 DINNER OPEN

AUGUST 13 (SATURDAY)

0915 CALL ON NDP (OPPOSITION) LEADER YI CHOL-SONG
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1045 COURTESY CALL ON PRIME MINISTER
1120 DISCUSSIONS AT U.S. EMBASSY
1230 LUNCH WITH CHARGE
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AUGUST 14 (SUNDAY)

1100 DEPART FOR TAIPEI VIA KE 60.
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